#### Placement test

Rispondi alle 40 domande e inviaci le risposte a <u>info@englishexpressitaly.com</u>. Durata del test: 20 minuti.

#### Part 1

Questions 1 – 5

- Where can you see these notices?
- For questions 1 to 5, mark one letter A, B or C on your Answer Sheet.
- 1

Please do not feed the animals.

- A in a shop
- **B** at a zoo
- C in a taxi

2

Silence please. Examinations in progress

- A in a library
- **B** in a bank
- C in a school

3

Special offers! Cut price items.

- A outside a theatre
- **B** outside a supermarket
- **C** outside a restaurant

CLOSED FOR REFURBISHMENTS. We re-open for the new term.

- A at a shop
- **B** at a music school
- C at a hotel

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## Price per show:

£10 a ticket

- A at a theatre
- **B** in a hotel
- C on a camp-site

### Questions 6 – 10

- In this section you must indicate the word which best fits each space in the text below.
- For questions 6 to 10, mark one letter A or B your Answer Sheet.

#### **Training Shoes**

Running is now a very popular (6) ..... and is also a good way of keeping fit. It is very important to (7) ..... the correct type of training shoes. First of all, decide how (8) ..... you want to spend on your shoes.

Be prepared to (9) ...... different sizes in different types of shoe. Take your time in the shop. If you make a mistake, your (10) ...... will let you know!

- 6 A sport B exercise
- 7 A choose B find
- 8 A much B many
- 9 A search B try
- 10 A feet B foot

#### <u>Questions 11 – 20</u>

- In this section you must choose the word which best fits each space in the texts.
- For questions **11** to **20**, mark **one** letter **A**, **B**, **C** or **D** on your Answer Sheet.

### Pen Friends

Having a pen friend, a person with whom you exchange letters, is a good way of improving

your (11) ..... English.

11	A written	B	writing	С	speaking	D	spoken
12	A something	B	anything	С	nothing	D	everything
13	A children	B	relations	С	relatives	D	friends
14	A give	B	show	С	make	D	take
15	A on	B	with	С	at	D	for

# UFOs – do they exist?

UFO is short for 'unidentified flying object'. UFOs are popularly known as flying saucers,
(16) that is often the (17) they are reported to be. The
(18)
"flying saucers" were seen in 1947 by an American pilot, but experts who studied his claim
decided it had been a trick of the light.
Even people experienced at watching the sky, (19) as pilots, report seeing UFOs. In
1978 a pilot reported a collection of UFOs off the coast of New Zealand. A television
(20) went up with the pilot and filmed the UFOs. Scientists studying this
phenomenon later discovered that in this case they were simply lights on boats out fishing.

16	Α	because	B	therefore	С	although	D	SO
17	A	look	В	shape	С	size	D	type
18	A	last	В	next	С	first	D	oldest
19	A	like	B	that	С	SO	D	such
20	A	cameraman	B	director	С	actor	D	announcer

#### Questions 21 – 40

- In this section you must choose the word or phrase which best completes each sentence.
- For questions **21** to **40**, mark **one** letter **A**, **B**, **C** or **D** on your Answer Sheet.

21	The teacher encouraged her students					during the holidays.			
	A	should study	В	study	С	studied	D	to study	
22	Т	They spent a lot o	of tin	ne for	r a sl	hirt the same colour	as t	he tie.	
	A	searching	В	for searching	С	to search	D	to search	
23	E	Bob enjoys singin	ıg, bi	ut all his songs see	em to	o the s	ame.		
	A	sound	В	hear	С	listen	D	ring	
24		from	I Joh	n's family, all the	grou	up arrived late.			
	A	Except	В	Other	С	Besides	D	Apart	
25	S	She 1	the c	hild of having sto	len t	he sweets			
	A	accused	В	complained	С	blamed	D	denied	
26	A	As I had missed th	he hi	story lesson, my f	rien	d went	th	e homework with me.	
	A	by	В	after	С	over	D	on	
27	V	Whether or not he	e is a	suitable candidate	e is a	a of o	pini	on.	
	A	matter	В	subject	С	point	D	case	
28	Т	There was a		up at the bank	c and	all the money was	stol	en.	
	A	built	В	carried	С	hold	D	supported	
29	V	Vould it		you if we came of	n Th	ursday?			
	A	agree	В	suit	С	like	D	fit	

All the questions need to be answered.								
A do not	<b>B</b> doesn't	have <b>C</b> needn't	D	hasn't got				
If you make a m	istake when yo	u are writing, just	it out	with your pen.				
A cross	<b>B</b> clear	<b>C</b> do	D	wipe				
Try as he	, he could	dn't open the door.						
A may	<b>B</b> might	<b>C</b> could	D	can				
Eggs should be eaten two days of purchase.								
A by	<b>B</b> before	<b>C</b> within	D	under				
The letter contai	ned	important information.						
A many	<b>B</b> another	<b>C</b> an	D	a lot of				
Have you considered to Australia?								
A move	<b>B</b> to move	<b>C</b> to be moving	D	moving				
People who lead an active life should increase their of vitamins.								
A upturn	<b>B</b> input	<b>C</b> upkeep	D	intake				
I thought there was a of jealousy in his reaction to my good fortune.								
A piece	B part	<b>C</b> shadow	D	touch				
Why didn't you	tł	nat you couldn't go?						
A advise	<b>B</b> mention	<b>C</b> say	D	tell				
James was not sure exactly where his best interests								
A stood	<b>B</b> rested	<b>C</b> lay	D	centered				
A stood He's still getting			D	centered				
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